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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants:	John Fralick et al.	)
Serial No.:	10/782,733	) Group Art ) Unit: 3737
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For:	BIO-PHOTONIC FEEDBACK CONTROL SOFTWARE AND DATABASE	) )

## STATEMENT OF FACT AND PETITION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.47 TO FILE AN APPLICATION WHEN THE NONSIGNING JOINT INVENTOR REFUSES TO SIGN

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Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.47(a), applicant hereby petitions for filing of United States Patent Application Serial No. 10/782,733, when the nonsigning joint inventor refuses to join in an application for patent. Enclosed is Form PTO-2038 authorizing credit card payment in the amount of One Thousand One Hundred Fifty-Six Dollars (\$1,156.00) is enclosed herewith. One Hundred Thirty Dollars (\$130.00) of the payment is to cover the fees associated with this Petition, as set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(h).

We located and contacted the inventor Marvin Distel. He has informed us and acknowledged that he had an employee agreement in which all intellectual property rights belong 07/19/2004 MAHMED1 00000016 10782733 130.00 OP

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to NuSkin International, Inc., the assignee in this case. He acknowledged that they own all right, title, and interest in the invention. He affirmatively declined to sign the required documents indicating that NuSkin International, Inc. does not need him to establish ownership at this point, and he chooses to refuse to sign.

The nonsigning inventor's last known address was 834 East 300 South, Spanish Fork, Utah 84660, but he is now residing in Albuquerque, New Mexico.

In view of the foregoing, applicant respectfully requests that this Petition to File an Application when a Nonsigning Joint Inventor Refuses to Sign be granted.

Respectfully submitted,

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